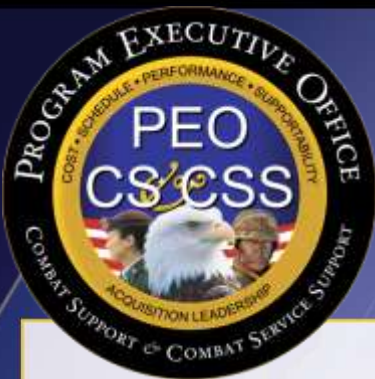


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PEO aligns organization to ensure maximum efficiency and portfolio alignment

Warren, Mich. – August 15, 2011 – Over the past year, the Program Executive Office, Combat Support and Combat Service Support (PEO CS&CSS) has been working diligently to support the Department of Defense and the U.S. Army in identifying and implementing ways to become more efficient and effective. As an organization, PEO CS&CSS has actively participated in numerous capability portfolio reviews over the past year with the Vice Chief of Staff of the Army where he has focused and challenged the Army community on requirements and affordability. Concurrently, PEO CS&CSS has been working hard to implement the Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, Logistics and Technology's Buying Power initiatives.

"As we have focused on these initiatives, it has caused us to assess our organization to identify ways to be more efficient and to better manage our systems by portfolios, thus resulting in better alignment of programs and management of our systems from a fleet perspective," said Kevin M. Fahey, Program Executive Officer, CS&CSS.

Based on these assessments, some offices within PEO CS&CSS will transition across the PEO to enable greater portfolio alignment and maximum efficiency. The following is a synopsis of the organizational transitions:

- The Product Manager, Joint Light Tactical Vehicles (JLTV) will transition under the leadership of Project Manager, Tactical Vehicles effective Aug. 15 with a permanent transition on October 1, 2011. This shift will greater align the Army's Tactical Wheeled Vehicle (TWV) programs under one PM office, ensuring synergism between the High-Mobility Multipurpose Wheeled Vehicle (HMMWV) program and JLTV, and enable cohesive management of the light tactical vehicles from a fleet perspective, consistent with the Army approved TWV Strategy.
- The Product Manager, Armored Security Vehicles (ASV) and Product Director, Non-Standard Vehicles (NSV) will transition from PM Tactical Vehicles and PM Force Projection, respectively, to PM Joint Combat Support Services (PM JCSS) effective October 1, 2011. The ASV and NSV programs are both primarily focused on providing equipment and capability to the Afghanistan National Army and Security Forces. The alignment of ASV and NSV under PM JCSS will ensure a focused and consolidated approach to providing capability to the Afghanistan National Army consistent with the U.S. policy.

PEO CS&CSS directs and coordinates the efforts of four Project and 17 Product Managers in managing the life cycles of more than 350+ Army systems, including several Joint Service programs. Striving to be prepared for changes in missions, threats and technologies, PEO CS&CSS is committed to supporting the goals and performance of our Joint and expeditionary forces, ensuring the best possible products are available to support the current and future Warfighters.

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